



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: P.A.R. Harris
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For: A FASTENER DEVICE
Docket No.: GJ-220J

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME WITHIN THE FIFTH MONTH

Applicant respectfully petitions that he be granted an extension of time within the fifth month, until December 23, 2002 in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a), and 1.7, to file a Response to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed May 23, 2002. Our check in the amount of \$980.00 is enclosed for the fee for a small entity to obtain this extension.

If for any reason this Petition is found to be incomplete, or if at any time it appears that a telephone conference with counsel would help advance prosecution, please telephone the undersigned or his associates, collect in Waltham, Massachusetts, (781) 890-5678.

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